



 Orasmuch as I have authorized you to call Courts of VVarre of the Officers of your Regiment, and therein to punish Misdemeanours according to the Lawes and Articles of VVarre: Now for your more legall & cleare proceedings, I have thought fit to authorize you, and do hereby authorize you, or the President of any such Court of warre as aforesaid for the time being, to examine upon Oath all such witnesses as shall at any time hereafter be produced, as well for proving and making good every Charge now depending, or which shall hereafter be exhibited against any person or persons whomsoever for offending contrary to the said Lawes and Articles, as for the defence of every such person and persons so charged or to be charged. This authority to continue during the space of foure Moneths from the date hereof, unlesse I shall recall it sooner.

Given under my Hand and Seale the 26, day of November. 1647.

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To Colonell the Major, or the
Officer in chief with that Regiment.